

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

Police – Creation of new RP Circles upgrading ROP into RPS and creation of new ROPs and reorganization of jurisdictions of ROPs, RPSs and RP circles of (3) Railway Police Districts – Permission – Accorded – Orders – Issued.

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HOME (SERVICES-III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 804

Dated:07.05.2012

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No.257, Finance (SMPC) Dept., dated: 18.10.2007.
2. G.O.Ms.No.281, Home (Ser-III) Dept., dated: 20.11.2007
3. G.O.Rt.No.163, Home (Ser-III) Dept., dated: 23.6.2010.
4. From the DGP, AP, Hyd., Lr.Rc.No.93/R1/RP-Reorg./2010, dated: 6.8.2011.
5. From the DGP, AP, Hyd., Lr.Rc.No.93/R1/RP-Reorg./2010, dated: 17.1.2012

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**ORDER:**

The Director General of Police, AP, Hyderabad in his letter 4<sup>th</sup> read above, has informed that the Addl. DGP Railways, in his letter dated: 20.7.2011 addressed to the Director General of Police, AP, Hyderabad has stated that Government in G.O.Ms.No. 257, Finance (SMPC) Dept., dated: 18.10.2007 has sanctioned additional manpower of 35,831 posts for creation of new units and strengthening of existing units of Police Force in the State. These 35831 posts were further distributed among different units vide G.O.Ms.No.163, dated: 23.6.2010 of the Home (Ser.III) Dept. Further, in para 6 of the G.O. 163, it was clearly stated that orders were issued with the concurrence of the Finance (Exp.Home) Department, vide their U.O.No.14189/224/ A1/Exp.Home/2010, dated: 29.5.2010. Thus reading GO 163 along with G.O.257, it is clear that the Finance Department has granted permission, inter alia, to fill up all the vacancies as mentioned in G.O.163 for different wings. According to G.O., the GRP has been allotted 836 Posts. Sanction of the State Government / Finance Department to meet 100% expenditure on these posts has already been given in G.O.257.

2. The Director General of Police, AP, Hyderabad has also informed that as per the agreements between the Railway Board and the State Government, expenditure on salaries, emoluments, etc of Government Railway Police staff is shared on 50:50 basis by the Railway Board and the State Government. The Railway Board has been addressed through the GM's of the Zones having jurisdiction on A.P. for concurrence which is awaited. The Finance Wing of the Railways has been raising queries, including the ones like what is the justification of increasing the strength after 20 years only. In the talks with I/C GM.SCR, during his visit to the Director General of Police, AP, Hyderabad's office on 7.7.2011, he mentioned the tight financial position of the Railways. Enquiries with counter parts in other states revealed that financial concurrence for proposed enhancement of strength by them too, has not been forthcoming for the Railway Board. Thus positive response from them seems unlikely in the near future.

3. Further the DGP has informed that it is pertinent to mention that the strength of GRP in A.P has remained static since the year 1991. The need to reorganize and strengthen the GRP is all the more imperative in the light of the current Telangana agitation. Maoist bandh calls, etc. Further, the increase in crime may easily be attributed to the ever-increasing number of passengers and freight traffic, which makes it necessary to increase the strength of GRP and also add more officers at the supervisory ranks, as sanctioned in the G.O.163.

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4. He has also informed that other specialized agencies like A.P. CID, Intelligence Department, etc. have already strengthened and reorganized their set-up with the additional strength sanctioned in the G.O's. The Railway Police is finding it difficult to accept officers being relived by Ranges on deputation as it is facing the problem of paying their salary as they are in excess of the posts sanctioned under G.O.Ms.No.84, Home (Pol.C) Dept., dated: 28.3.2002. It will remain so, till the Government gives a go-ahead for accepting the additional strength sanctioned under G.O.163 and allows payment of their salary bills even during the pendency of concurrence of the Railway Board, as in the case of Bihar GRP.

5. The Director General of Police, AP, Hyderabad, has therefore, requested the Government to permit to fill up the vacancies and carry out reorganization as sanctioned in G.O. 1<sup>st</sup> read above, for which concurrence of the Finance Department has already been conveyed in the G.O.Ms.No.257, dated: 18.10.2007, pending receipt of concurrence of the Railway Board. The Railway Police, being a deputation organization, strength has already been apportioned to various units for direct recruitment/promotion. If the strength allotted to the Railway Police is not filled up, it will affect the promotional chances of DSPs, Inspectors and SIs at the Range / Zonal Levels.

6. Government, after careful examination of the matter, hereby accord permission to the Director General of Police, AP, Hyderabad to fill up the 836 posts in Government Railway Police from the total sanctioned strength of 35,831 posts and carry out reorganization as sanctioned in G.O. 163, dated: 23.6.2010, subject to conditions that, the State Government, reserves the right to withdraw the services of additional forces deployed in railways, (if the Railways finally decide against payment of their share), and redeploy these forces in other units. The Director General of Police, AP, Hyderabad, is requested to keep in view the above position, while proposing any additional posts in the department and also while making new recruitments. It is necessary, as Railways have to accept their share of responsibility for the safety of the person and properties of the passengers.

7. The Director General of Police, AP, Hyderabad is requested to take further necessary action in the matter.

8. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance (SMPC-I) Dept., vide their U.O.No.7931-A/264/A3/SMPC-I/2012, dated: 28.3.2012.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)

To,  
The Director General of Police, AP, Hyderabad.  
The Pay and Accounts Officer, AP, Hyderabad.  
The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, AP, Hyderabad.  
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The Fin. (SMPC-I) Dept.  
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SECTION OFFICER